

Playcentre

STRATEGIC PLAN 2009 - 2014

Playcentre is a family organisation where ...

- we empower adults and children to play, work, learn and grow together
- we honour Te Tiriti o Waitangi and celebrate people's uniqueness
- we value and affirm parents as the first and best educators of their children

so that whānau are strengthened and communities enriched



Goal 1: To make Playcentre's commitment to Te Tiriti o Waitangi visible in all we do

Strategies

- develop discussion and decision-making processes that work for both Tangata Whenua and Tangata Tiriti
- improve our policies and practices to better protect, respect and nurture Te Reo me ona tikanga
- support Tangata Whenua to determine the way in which they work and are represented at Federation and Association levels
- provide equitable access to resources and opportunities
- ensure constitutions and other formal documents reflect our commitment to a bicultural relationship

Goal 2: To build vibrant and valued communities of learning

Strategies

- articulate, model, promote and protect the philosophy and values of Playcentre
- create an environment that encourages Māori to consider Playcentre a valid option for their whānau
- improve processes for acknowledging/celebrating participation in the Playcentre community
- develop systems and practices to mitigate the impacts of compliance
- increase participation in our adult education programmes
- ensure workloads are appropriate and manageable

Goal 3: To ensure a sustainable future for Playcentre

Strategies

- review the support and management structures of Playcentre
- secure levels of funding that recognise the value of a parent co-operative ECE service
- develop systems to ensure that the Playcentre knowledge base is current and accessible
- maintain our assets in an environmentally friendly way
- improve the ways in which we promote and support emergent leadership

Goal 4: To be recognised in the wider community

Strategies

- promote Playcentre to families
- raise awareness of the value of Playcentre
- strengthen collaborative relationships with other organisations
- undertake more research and use findings to strengthen Playcentre's position and practice
- advocate for Playcentre and the value of whānau/ family involvement

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“Whānau tupu ngātahi - families growing together”

